

Response to Restriction Requirement
Docket No.: 018.0961.US.UTL

REMARKS

Claims 1-104 are pending. Claims 1-13, 34-41, 64-73, and 83-96 have been withdrawn. Claims 14-33, 42-63, 74-82, and 97-104 remain.

5 Applicant's representative thanks the Examiner for the telephone conference of February 26, 2010, during which the restriction requirement was discussed.

Claims 1-104 stand subject to a five-way restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121. Applicant elects the invention of Group II without traverse.

10 Claims 14-33, 42-63, 74-82, and 97-104 read on the elected invention. Non-elected Claims 1-13, 34-41, 64-73, and 83-96 have been withdrawn without prejudice.

15 Claims 14-33, 42-63, 74-82, and 97-104 are believed to be in a condition for allowance and a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited. Please contact the undersigned at (206) 381-3900 regarding any questions or concerns associated with the present matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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